Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claim 1 (currently amended): A communication terminal including a board having a ground plane, the board connected to an antenna, and the board contained in a casing, the communication terminal, comprising:

an auxiliary bottom board <u>a first conductor part</u>, formed of a conductor, and provided in the casing so as to be exposed from a rear-face of the casing or to be <u>arranged</u> along the <u>a</u> rear face of the casing; and

a radiating element second conductor part, formed of a conductor, and arranged provided between [[a]] the rear face eide of the casing and the board, wherein the radiating element second conductor part is electrically connected to the ground plane of the board and the auxiliary bottom board first conductor part.

Claim 2 (currently amended): The communication terminal as set forth in claim 1, further comprising a conductor fitting which is provided between the radiating element and the ground plane of the board.

wherein the radiating element first conductor part is electrically connected to the ground plane of the board through the conductor fitting arranged so as to be exposed from the rear face of the casing or is arranged in the casing so as to be along the rear face of the casing.

Claim 3 (currently amended): [[A]] The communication terminal including a board to

which a shield case is attached on a rear side of a casing, the board connected

to an antenna, and the board contained in the casing, the communication

terminal comprising:

an auxiliary bottom board, formed of a conductor, and provided in the

casing as set forth in claim 1, wherein the second conductor part is arranged so

as to be exposed from the rear face of the casing or to be along the rear face of

the casing; and a bottom face or a side face of the casing or is provided in the

casing so as to be along the bottom face or the side face of the casing.

a radiating element, formed of a conductor, and arranged between a rear

face side of the casing and the board

wherein the radiating element is electrically connected to the shield case

and the auxiliary bottom board.

Claim 4 (currently amended): The communication terminal as set forth in claim 1,

wherein the auxiliary bottom board and the radiating element are formed in one

piece. further comprising a passive element which is provided between the

second conductor part and the ground plane of the board,

wherein the second conductor part is electronically connected to the

ground plane of the board through the passive element.

Claim 5 (currently amended): The communication terminal as set forth in claim [[3]] 1

, wherein the auxiliary bottom board first conductor part and the radiating

element second conductor part are formed in one piece.

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Claim 6 (currently amended): The communication terminal as set forth in claim 1, wherein the radiating element is provided in the casing so as to be exposed from a bottom face or a side face of the casing or to be along the bottom face or the side face of the casing. including a board to which a shield case is attached on a

contained in the casing, the communication terminal, comprising:

a first conductor part, formed of a conductor, and arranged along a rear face of the casing; and

rear face side of a casing, the board connected to an antenna, and the board

a second conductor part, formed of a conductor, and provided between the rear face of the casing and the board,

wherein the second conductor part is electrically connected to the shield case and the first conductor part.

Claim 7 (currently amended): A communication terminal including a board having a ground plane, the board connected to an antenna and the board contained in a casing, the communication terminal, comprising;

an auxiliary bettom beard, formed of a conductor, and provided so as to be along a rear face of the casing; and

a radiating element, formed of a conductor, and arranged between a rear face-side of the casing and the board.

wherein the radiating element is electrically connected to the ground plane of the board and the auxiliary bottom board, as set forth in claim 6, wherein the first conductor part is arranged so as to be exposed from the rear

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face of the casing or is arranged in the casing so as to be along the rear face of the casing.

Claim 8 (new): The communication terminal as set forth in claim 6, wherein the first conductor part and the second conductor part are formed in one piece.